

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	09/936,457	WHITWORTH, IAN JAMES	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Jessica L. Rossi	1733	

All Participants:

(1) Jessica L. Rossi.

(2) Mr. Cutitta.

Status of Application: _____

(3) _____.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 8 January 2004

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

Claims discussed:

all

Prior art documents discussed:

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: Examiner informed applicants that grouping of claims done by another examiner in original restriction was incorrect and that article claims 22-23 should have been put in article Group III, not method Group I. However, Applicants maintained their election of Group I. Examiner also informed Applicants that different reasons for restriction would be set forth in the present office action, thereby making the restriction requirement non-final..